

2011 NIEHS Awards Ceremony

Employee(s)	Citation	Division
UNSUNG HERO		
Charles J. Alden	For maintaining the high standards expected of the NTP Technical Report Series	DNTP
Amy M. Johnson	For outstanding administrative support of the Laboratory of Structural Biology	DIR
PEER AWARD		
Leroy Worth	For his willingness to assist and support his co-workers and DEAS support staff, without expectation of credit, and for his contagiously optimistic and congenial attitude	DERT
Gordon P. Flake	For working beyond normal expectations in order to provide regulatory agencies pathology data	DNTP
Diane L. Spencer	In recognition of consistent, extraordinary guidance and support of fellow employees and of programs that enhance the NIEHS environment	DNTP
NIH MERIT AWARD - INDIVIDUAL		
Antoinette Bridges	For continued and sustained exemplary project leadership in support of the Office of Acquisitions, the Office of Management, and NIEHS	OM
Beth E. Anderson	For sustained outstanding performance in support of the Superfund Research Program, especially efforts relating to outreach and research translation	DERT
Warren Casey	For excellent performance in leading the National Toxicology Program's international validation and interagency evaluation of new testing methods to support the federal government's endocrine disruptor chemical screening program	DNTP
Michael A. Resnick	Sustained research excellence studying mechanisms of genome stability and cellular stress responses leading to major findings that translate to human cells and disease	DIR

NIH MERIT AWARD - GROUP		
OD - Office of Communications & Public Liaison (Group)	For exemplary team work and success in communicating the value of NIEHS and NTP research through skilled writing, pro-active networking, and effective use of new technologies	

Christine Flowers
 Robin Arnette
 Eddy Ball
 Kristen Fisher
 Edward Kang
 Robin Mackar
 Kim Minneman
 John Peterson
 Ian Thomas
 Anne Thompson
 Cheryl Renee Thompson

OD - Ethics Office (Group)	For securing 100% compliance on time for the mandatory annual ethics training and the mandatory responsible conduct of research training
Bruce Androphy Stephen Copeland Patricia Harris David Resnick Jackie Stillwell	
OD - OD/ODD/EHP (Group)	Environmental Health Perspectives (EHP) for significant advances over the last three years in making EHP a top-ranked, peer reviewed scientific journal
Susan Booker Mary K. Crabtree Martha M. Dimes Erin Dooley Arnold Greenwell Judy Hanson Rita B. Hanson Hui Hu Audrey L. Pinto Dorothy Ritter Jane Schroeder Banalata (Bono) Sen Tanya R. Tillett Hugh Tilson	
OD - OD/ODD (Group)	For exemplary performance in being a part of the NIEHS Strategic Planning Support Core Team
Sheila Newton Kimberly Thigpen-Tart Tonya Stonham Christine Flowers Alma Britton Cheryl Renee Thompson Stephanie Holmgren John Maruca Kristen T. Erwin Dave Green	

OM (Group)	For exceptional effort in response to an emergency outage affecting the NIEHS and EPA campus cooling systems to protect life and safeguard NIEHS property
F. Mitchell Williams Scott Merkle Valeria D. Shropshire Clyde E. Hasty William K. Steinmetz Laurie Johnson William Blair Gregory Holland Donald R. Jackowski Benjamin Hocutt Terry Wells Vernon Derrick Vest Steven Todd Johnson Josee Crowell James Burnette Michael Johnson C. Reid Yeatts Timothy Medlin Fidel Mendoza Luis Ibarra Diane B. Forsythe Maureen Trogon Greg Eades Timothy McClellan	
OM (Group)	For dramatically improving the information technology infrastructure vital to all NIEHS and NTP research efforts
John Grovenstein Heather Nicholas Josee Crowell Sam Musulin Bill Blair David Garrin Kevin Dols William C. Frye Anthony Trang Brett Moseley Troy Icenhour Renita Anderson	

OM (Group)	For exceptional efforts in response to the rupture of the water main serving the NIEHS Rall Building returning the campus to full operation in less than one day
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F. Mitchell Williams
 Steven Herndon
 Scott Merkle
 Clyde E. Hasty
 William Blair
 Terry Wells
 Benjamin Hocutt
 Shawn Kennedy
 Vernon Derrick Vest
 Terrance Saulter
 Christopher Parker
 Michale Kinney
 C. Reid Yeatts
 Douglas Riddle
 Thomas Elkins
 Vickie Englebright
 Diane B. Forsythe
 Maureen Trogon

OM (Group)	For excellence in carrying out the F-Module Air Handler Replacement Project
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Donald R. Jackowski
 Terry Wells
 Shawn Kennedy
 David Little
 Josee Crowell
 Vickie Englebright
 Mark Tate
 Joseph Seufert
 Larry Woodall
 Javier Contreras
 James Beanblossom

DERT (Group)	For outstanding work in creating an academic-community consortium to study the health effects of the Gulf Oil Spill under extremely tight deadlines
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Claudia Thompson
 Leroy Worth
 Donald Ellis
 Allen Dearry

DERT (Group)	For creating and implementing an innovative strategic planning collaboration between NIEHS and HHS for responding to environmental justice concerns and increasing public health for communities experiencing disparities
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Joseph T. Hughes Jr.
 Sharon Beard
 Liam O'Fallon
 John M. Balbus

OM - Security (Group) Special Appreciation	In recognition of exceptional service and providing outstanding security for the Clinical Research Unit and its staff
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Sabrina McDaniel
 Marvin Riggs
 Raymond Rook
 Darren Dawson
 Nicole Wright
 Vannetta Meggett
 Anthony Rush
 Stephen Russell
 Reginald Marcus
 David Warren
 Randy Hardy
 Ronald Mitchell
 Melvin Pierce
 Deirdre Badiane
 Chandra Anderson
 Felix Adizue
 Johnette Morgan
 Sharon Crisp
 Chavis Crisp
 Randolph Henderson

DERT (Group)	In recognition of extraordinary efforts to create and disseminate metrics for outreach, education, and community-based research in the Partnership for Environmental Public Health Program
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Christina Drew
 Helena L. Davis
 Beth E. Anderson
 Sharon Beard
 Caroline Dilworth
 Liam O'Fallon
 Kristianna Pettibone

DERT (Group)	For development of the Supplement Operations System	
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Christina Drew
 Helena L. Davis
 Liz McNair
 J. Patrick Mastin
 Benny Encarnacion
 Lisa A. Edwards
 Dorothy Duke

DERT (Group)	For extraordinary vision and persistence in development of the DERT Scientific Research Support Contract
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Beth E. Anderson
Kathy A. Ahlmark
Jennifer B. Collins
Astrid C. Haugen
Liam O'Fallon
Jerry Phelps

DNTP (Group)	For diligent attention, cooperative contribution of expertise, and investment of time beyond normal duties for the establishment of reproductive database capabilities for the National Toxicology Program
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Jennifer Foster
Beth Bowden
Helen Cunny
Molly Vallant
Paul Foster
Barry S. McIntyre
Jack B. Bishop
Chad Blystone
Grace Kissling
David E. Malarkey
Ronald A. Herbert
Mark Cesta

DNTP (Group)	To recognize the Pathology Core lab staff for the significant contributions they make to the NTP and NIEHS testing and research programs
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Norris Flagler
Teenette Jones
Elizabeth Ney
Ralph Wilson
Debra King
Deloris Sutton
Pamela Ovwigho
Glenda Corniffe
Natasha Clayton
Tiwands Misande
Yvette Reboloso
Healthier Jensen
Quashana Denise Brown

DNTP (Group)	For significant contributions to the NTP training programs in pathology and laboratory animal medicine
David E. Malarkey Angela King-Herbert	
DIR (Group)	For the development, operation, and achievements of the Environmental Polymorphisms Registry
Patricia Chulada Beverly A. Warden Andrea Zombeck Chris Wachtstetter Robyn Davis Stephens Bekki Elmore Kara Sanya Lauranell H. Burch Re Bai Frank Chao Michael L. Snell Hong Xu Leilei Zhang Annette B. Rice Jamie Marshburn Alvin Blount	
DIR (Group)	For outstanding service related to coordination of the NIEHS Summer Internship Program
Debbie Wilson William Schrader Diane Klotz Georgina J. Pagan Marva Wood	
Cross-Divisional (Group)	For exceptional performance in handling the release of the 12th Report on Carcinogens
Beth Bowden John Bucher Christine Flowers John Grovenstein Gloria D. Jahnke Shawn P. Jeter Ruth Lunn Robin Macker Sharon M. Soward Diane L. Spencer Anne Thompson Cheryl Renee Thompson Mary S. Wolfe	

Cross-Divisional (Group)	For exceptional effort in planning for an orderly shutdown in the absence of appropriations to protect life and safeguard NIEHS property and records
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David S. Miller
 W. Christopher Long
 William Schrader
 Christine Flowers
 F. Mitchell Williams
 Scott Merkle
 Ellen Moul
 Laurie Johnson
 Matthew Burr
 Heather Nicholas
 Connie Percy
 Andrea Glass
 Gary Delaney
 Antoinette Bridges
 Nancy Powell
 Monya J. Wells
 Debra Del Corral
 Connie Riley
 Kent Stone
 Stephanie Jones
 William Blair
 Gregory Holland
 Diane B. Forsythe
 Mary Grant
 Deborah S. Gaffney
 Maureen Trogdon
 Noreen E. Gordon
 Willlliam Jirles
 Versal Mason
 Clarence Gibson

Cross-Divisional (Group)	For exceptional performance in initiation, implementation, and management of the Pulse Survey and development of action plans to enhance work-life quality across the NIEHS Community
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William Suk
 Margarita Roque
 Dona McNeill
 Michelle Victalina
 Tonya Stonham
 Valeria D. Shropshire
 Lisa Rogers
 Kim Peterson
 Ted Outwater
 David Miller
 Michelle Hooth
 Diane B. Forsythe
 Noreen E. Gordon
 Gina Goulding
 Judy Hanson
 Jerry Heindel
 Tom Eling
 Darlene Dixon
 William Jirles
 Allen Dearry
 William Suk
 Margarita Roque
 Dona McNeill
 William Jirles
 Allen Dearry
 Dona McNeill
 Jenn Evans
 Eli Ney
 April Parker
 Gary St. John Bird
 Ted Outwater
 William Jirles
 Clarence Gibson
 Gary St. John Bird
 Paul Jung
 Michael J. Loewe
 Joel Abramowitz
 John Bucher
 Alex Merrick
 Sharon Beard
 Michael C. Humble
 Steven Akiyama
 Trevor Archer
 David Armstrong
 Patrick J. Barbour
 Hamilton Brown

Cross-Divisional (Group)	Continued.	
Susan Booker Danielle Carlin Rhonda W. Carroll Jennifer B. Collins Gwen Collman Helena L. Davis Gary Delaney Michael Devito Sally Eckert-Tilotta Mitch Eddy Lisa A. Edwards Jennifer Fostel Jef French Kevin Gerrish Barbara Gittleman Mary Grant John Grovenstein Astrid C. Haugen Kembra Howdeshell Amy M. Johnson Gezell Jones Edward Kang Grace Kissling Edith Lee Chris Long Michelle Mayo David Miller Ellen Moul Ted Outwater Richard Paules Audrey L. Pinto Sharyn Rigsbee Beverly Sellers-Robinson Richard Sloane Jackie Stillwell Charles E. Tate Claudia Thompson Hugh Tilson Gregory Travlos Pinkney Wilder, 3rd Leroy Worth, Jr. Rick Woychik Margarita Roque Helena Bonner		

FARE AWARDS		
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Joseph Burgents
Nisha Cavanaugh
Xiaoqing Chang
Saurabh Chatterjee
Saiful Chowdhury
Johannes Freudenberg
Huiming Gao
Jill Hesse
Anne Lai
Hong Li
Kristin Lichti-Kaiser
Leelavati Narlikar
Kosuke Saito
Yukimasa Takeda
Percy Tumbale
Kirsten Verhein
Xueqian Wang
Huanchen Wang
Wipawee Winuthayanon
Mengyuan Xu
Zhengyu Yin

GREEN CHAMPIONS AWARD	For composting achievements that diverted 15,790 lbs. of pre- and post-consumer cafeteria waste from the landfill, while reducing greenhouse gases, such as methane and carbon dioxide, normally produced during waste decomposition. In FY2010, over 95 percent of the Institute's total cafeteria waste was either composted or recycled, surpassing the NIEHS 2010 Environmental Management System goal of 10,000 pounds.
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Danica Andrews
Wayne Boyer
Trisha Castranio
Josee Crowell
Rachel Frawley
Paul Johnson
Scott Merkle
Ellen Moul
Ron McMillan
Dona McNeill
Pamela Ovwigho
Nancy Powell
Lakesia Register
Richard Sloane
William K. Steinmetz
F. Mitchell Williams
William Willis